

OXFORD.

G. A. R. and Friends Had a Picnic.

The picnic of Aug. 15, which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Brawn of Oxtield, by T. A. Roberts, Harry Rust Post and Corps of Norway as invited guests, was a complete success. Mr. and Mrs. Brawn entertained in a very pleasing manner, and the day was enjoyed by all. Following is a list of those who were present:

E. F. Farnock, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Chaplin, Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Wright, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cook, Mrs. Emily K. Etheridge, Mrs. B. W. Greenleaf, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brackett, J. W. Foley, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Budden, Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Holden, Cynthia Brown, 83 years old, Harry Fuller, Fritz Hayes, Emma James, Mrs. L. W. Wardwell, Mrs. H. G. Frost, Mrs. L. M. Keith, Mrs. Mary Morse, Mrs. F. Cushman, Mrs. Arthur Towne and daughter Baulah, Mrs. Emma Bumpus, Mrs. Schie Hansen, Mrs. C. N. Tuttle, Mrs. E. A. Brackett, Mrs. George Dunham, Mrs. Hannah Morse, Mrs. Susan Keenel, Mr. Bennett, Mrs. G. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Webster Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Spurr and son, Mr. and Mrs. James Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stone, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rich, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanborn, Mr. Arthur White and son, Mrs. E. W. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Holden, Mrs. M. C. Kemp, F. A. Conson, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Edwards, Jeanie Barrows, H. W. Cleveland and son, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Johnson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge White, Alvin Flood, Mrs. McIntire and son, Mr. and Mrs. George Scribner, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Scribner, Mr. and Mrs. Libby Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. David Stone, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Alice Johnson, John Hill, John A. Keene, 80 years old, Nellie Scribner, A. Thomas, Valera Mitchell.

Agnes Daniels with friends went to Norway, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Record with their friend, May Lovejoy of Hebron, have been spending several weeks at their cottage by the lake. Thomas Coulton has also been a guest at the cottage.

The Oxfords Win a Ball Game. There was a game of ball at Poland, Saturday, between the Oxford and Poland teams; score 6 to 4 in favor of the Oxfords. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keene, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bumpus, Mrs. C. Farnham and daughter Grace, Nina Wardwell, Edith French and others went to Poland to witness the game.

Our Correspondent Has a Good Time. Your correspondent and family spent a part of Old Home Week at Hollis. While there by the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Smith our party enjoyed a delightful drive by Leisglass pond, through the fragrant pines with their overhanging branches which formed beautiful arches above our heads. We then crossed Little Ossipee river and were in Limerick, where we viewed the washout of last spring, when numerous large trees, two dwelling houses and a store were swept away by the angry water. We drove back to Morning Glory farm, where a bountiful collation was served upon the lawn. The pleasant day will be long remembered.

Oxford Folks at the Seashore. Mrs. Walter Holden and Eliza Bowie went to Old Orchard, Sunday.

C. F. Starbird spent a few days of last week in Harpswell and at Old Orchard. Hattie Farris, Bertha Hazen and Ida Hawkes are spending a week at Peaks Island.

George and J. E. Parrott with their families have been spending a month at Peaks Island.

Arthur Record is on the sick list. Walter Wood and son Wallace went to Berlin, Sunday.

John Elden and wife visited friends in Oxtield, Saturday.

Elbridge Edwards spent Thursday with friends in Portland.

Emerson Bennett and wife visited friends in Oxtield, Sunday.

Mabel Herrick of Poland is now working in the woolen mill here.

Jennie Hayes has returned from Baltimore to her home in Oxford.

Mr. Will Chase and Katie Coughton went to Lewiston, Saturday.

Lewis Daniels and wife of Lewiston are guests of relatives in town.

Grace Bowers is working as housekeeper for Mrs. Wm. Lombard.

S. H. Eaton, wife and daughter Florence went to Norway, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones went to Lewiston, Saturday of last week.

Alton Kavanagh spent a few days of last week with relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Elmer Walker and daughter Margaret went to Norway, Saturday.

Mrs. H. R. Farris spent several days of last week with relatives in New Gloucester.

Walter Heslop and Howard Davis spent last week with friends in Massachusetts.

Charles Bumpus and wife visited their aunt, Mrs. Mary Crocker of Norway, Sunday.

The house of Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson was wired for electric lights, last week.

Lieut. Wilfred Perkins and Dr. H. R. Farris are attending the soldiers' muster at Augusta.

George Hawkes, wife and daughter Ida spent Old Home Week with relatives in Windham.

Samuel Ellsworth and wife have been spending a number of weeks with friends in Gorham.

Mabel Mont went, Monday, for a two weeks' visit among her relatives and friends in Portland.

John Dunlap and family from Mechanic Falls were the guests of George Heslop and wife, Sunday.

There was a dance in Robinson hall, Saturday, Aug. 10th. A good crowd and a good time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farrington are entertaining their sister, Mrs. Charlotte Farrington of Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. John Neal of Auburn with her two children visited at the home of Mrs. Caroline Bumpus, Sunday.

Bertha Kavanagh is spending the week in Portland as a guest of her grandfather, Bartlett Kavanagh.

Leroy Farrington and Curtis Keene went to Portland, Thursday; also Henry Taylor and Harry Goodyear.

Mrs. G. B. Wells and daughter Edith of Waterville, P. Q., were guests at the home of I. M. Keith, last week.

H. O. Blake and daughter, Mrs. Winifred Gammon, attended the funeral of a relative in Gloucester, Thursday.

Reginald Robinson, Leland Stone and Floyd Wardwell are spending two weeks at the Wardwell cottage by the lake.

Mrs. Eliza Frost and Nettie Fuller of Norway were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Littlewood, Sunday of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Frederick Newport spent several days of Old Home Week with their daughter, who lives in Poland.

Mrs. May McAllister and W. C. Davis and wife of Portland were guests at the home of Fred McAllister and wife, Sunday.

John Elden and wife spent Old Home Week with relatives in Boston. Chester Elden of Mapleswood is now a guest at their home in town.

SOUTH WATERFORD. Hall Family Reunion. The fourth annual reunion of the Hall family was held, Saturday, at the home of Mrs. Louisa A. Hall and her daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Lovejoy. Relatives were present from Bridgton, Harrison, Fryeburg, Portland and Cumberland Mills.

Dinner was served at noon on the lawn and the whole occasion was a very enjoyable one.

Several groups were photographed by Frank Hall of Portland.

The day was also the fiftieth birthday of Mrs. Lovejoy, who was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents from those present, including a purse of money, also presents from absent friends and relatives, some coming from Sumnerland, Cal., others from Bridgton and Fairfield, and Worcester, Mass.

The next reunion was appointed for Aug. 16, 1902, at the same place.

Mrs. G. C. Kimball is in rather poor health.

Mrs. Charles Packard is entertaining friends.

Bert Pike of Sweden has been visiting at B. H. Pike's.

Mrs. G. L. Kimball is entertaining friends from Norway.

Mrs. M. Saunders visited at Mrs. Albert Caswell's, last Saturday.

The wet weather enables people to go fishing but not to make hay.

Homer Brown is at work at East Waterford for George Stevens.

W. Haynes has seven boarders and is expecting three more, this week.

Several large salmon have been taken from Bear lake by the summer boarders.

Prof. Logan of New York was the guest of E. P. Kimball, last Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Morrill of East Waterford has been looking over the D. Adams farm at Moxing Corner with a view of purchasing it.

Christopher Adams of Pennsylvania has recently visited his nephews, Free-lan and Ralph Adams.

Prof. W. N. Logan of St. Lawrence University, N. Y., has been passing several days with G. L. Kimball. He started on his return trip, last Monday morning.

There seems to be a goodly number of boarders in the place at present. Several are boarding with Mrs. Frank Noble and take rooms of Mrs. A. E. Young and Mrs. L. Rowe.

Clarence Willard went blueberrying on Mt. Pleasant and got 1½ bushels of fine ones. He reports that they are very thick and that there will be a great many bushels that will decay on the ground.

New arrivals at the Mason place are Mrs. Malvina Saunders of Worcester, Mass., Sadie Mason, Gertrude Brown and Hattie Searle of Providence, R. I. Henry Mason came for a short stay and has now returned to Rhode Island.

The Mason family with their friends who have recently arrived met with Mrs. E. P. Kimball, last Saturday evening. Music was on the program and the mandolin very ably played by Anna Mason, with plenty of other music and singing it made a very enjoyable time.

NORTH WATERFORD. Trips to New Hampshire. Mrs. G. B. Rice went to Shelburne, N. H., last Sunday, returning home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farmer, who have been visiting the home of their parents at West Milan, returned home, last Sunday.

M. and Mrs. B. W. Rice and children, Vera, Walter and little Ralph are visiting Mrs. Rice's mother, Mrs. Julia Wilson at Shelburne, N. H.

Flossie Brown called on Flossie Rice, last Saturday.

The baked bean supper of the ladies' circle is postponed until next Tuesday, the 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lord are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Whitcomb Davis of Roxbury, Mass., and Emilie Davis of Washington, D. C., called on their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rice, last Sunday. Their summer residence is in Bethel.

Prof. H. P. Warren of Albany, N. Y., will address the congregation in the church, next Sunday morning at 10.30.

A concert consisting of instrumental and vocal music and reading will be given in the church at North Waterford on the evening of Aug. 29, at 7.45 p. m.

The orchestra is to be given under the direction of Fred P. Saunders, the leader of the orchestra which furnishes music for the morning church service.

The orchestra will be assisted by Misses Hamlin and Brown, pianists, and Miss Moulton of Lynn as elocutionist.

WILSON'S MILLS. Rev. Charles Whittier started for his home in Bangor, Wednesday morning.

Walter Buckman, S. W. Bennett and E. S. Bennett all went to Rangeley Lakes, Monday, guiding.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Flint and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bennett have gone up the river for a few days outing.

Between thirty and forty men have gone through here, the past week, to the Kennebec regions to work in the woods.

A few are still finding fault about the poor hay weather, but most of the farmers have their hay done and are beginning to cut their grain.

Mrs. Northrop of Roxbury, Mass., is a guest of E. M. Atwood.

Over eighty guests were entertained at Hotel Long, Old Home Week.

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NORTH BUCKFIELD.

Watching a Night Blooming Cereus. Last Wednesday evening, Aug. 14th, some of the neighbors met at Mrs. J. C. Heald's to watch the opening of a night blooming cereus. It had five large blossoms on it and was a grand sight.

Interesting to Horsemen. W. Heald has sold his trotting colt to Mr. Wright.

Carl Heald has a new rubber tire wagon on it. It's a dandy.

Maggie Heald is quite sick with a fever.

Poor hay weather, a lot of grass yet to cut.

Eugene Green is staying at Willard Mason's.

Monte Rowe went to Portland, last Sunday.

Mert Warren and Fred Heald finished haying, the 16th.

H. H. Buck and family were at J. A. Warren's, the 15th.

Issac Fuller has let his farm to Jim Richards, for one year.

Beryl Harlow was selling pepsin gum through our place, this week.

Maud Heald is staying a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Fred Heald.

Flora and Roy Gatchell from Auburn were at Mrs. Dunham's, the 15th.

Mrs. Warren Lotthrop and son were at Mrs. J. E. Mayhew's, last Sunday.

H. H. Buck and family made Mrs. Mayhew a dooryard call, last Sabbath.

Mrs. R. J. Warren, daughter and son were at Ormsby Warren's, last Friday.

Mrs. Lucy Turner passed last week with her daughter, Mrs. Belle Swallow.

Mrs. Flora Cole from Rumford Falls spent a few days at James Bicknell's, lately.

Mrs. Nellie Bunker from Massachusetts is visiting her old home at Wm. Tucker's.

Norman Philbrook from Peabody, Mass., is visiting his grandfather, A. G. Spaulding.

Rev. Mr. Churchill and wife from Dover, N. H., have lately visited at Mrs. Nancy Emery's.

J. E. Bicknell, wife and granddaughter went to the grove meeting, at Canton, last Sunday.

Mrs. Charlotte Snell from Turner and Solon Tuttle and wife were at Mrs. Dunham's, last Sabbath.

Grace Bicknell from Norway passed last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bicknell.

Frank Heald has bought a cow of Herman Morse, and Sydney Swallow has bought one of Lawrence Keene.

J. A. Warren and wife went to the Grange at Turner and wife, and stayed all night at N. Sturtevant's.

Gertrude Warren is doing table work at Spaulding cottage and Mrs. Eugene Record is doing table work at the lower village.

Wm. Clapp, and son William and family, and Mr. Norris and wife from Salem, Mass., came the 16th, for a two weeks stay at Spaulding cottage.

Mrs. Aurelia Tuttle and daughter, were at Mrs. C. Dunham's, the 15th.

at Mrs. Eunice Foster and daughter from Hartford visited Mrs. Dunham, the 16th.

BUCKFIELD. Old Home Week and Our Library. "Time waits for no man," and the August days are fast receding.

The last of August seems of late to take the lead for home coming, for jubilees, festive occasions, anniversaries etc., and they come so thick and fast when they have passed and gone it leaves us in a maze.

Memorial day has supplanted the glorious Fourth of an old-time celebration.

Fast day has become a nonentity and we have only Thanksgiving left of the gala days of the old time.

Buckfield has had her full share of home coming, partly owing to the dedication of the Long Library which occurred, Aug. 17. Since some of the accounts of the affair were written up previous to the event, to write anything now would appear like ancient history.

The town hall formerly known as "The Old Church on the Hill," was alluded to overflowing. Thos. S. Brigham (not virgin) presided on the occasion.

Prayer by Rev. E. F. Turner, music by orchestra and the audience. Reading letters of regret followed. Addresses were given as per program, and others of residents and former residents besides Ex-Gov. Perham, Solon Chase and John P. Swasey.

It would be useless to attempt a shadow of a report but one or two mistakes in other reports would not come amiss, though the details have been given to the body of the house inside is finished in white wood and stained (not white spruce). The books number 2292 instead of 2000.

It would be impossible to give the names of all who participated, a few follow—Geo. D. Bisbee, wife and daughter, Mrs. Stanley Bisbee, and children, Lewis and Luther Irish, Rumford Falls; Orville Tucker, Mexico; R. M. Cate and sisters, Mrs. Douglas and Brewster, Cape Elizabeth; Edwin Shaw, Arthur Moore and wife, A. F. Tilton and family, Homer N. Chase and wife of Auburn; Mrs. Abby (Chase) Holbrook, and two daughters of Massachusetts; Nathan Moore of F. & E. P. R. L. B. Allen of Dayton, Ohio, who left Buckfield 50 years ago, has worked for one firm 50 years, returned to his native town, was the guest of C. B. Atwood; C. R. Whitten and wife of Augusta; and many others.

Bateman for the Journal and J. K. Chase for the associated press were on the ground.

Bateman was in town, Tuesday, interviewing Secretary Long, taking camera shots of the Secretary's family and home, and obtained a letter of introduction to Admiral Dewey, who is down on the coast.

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BRYANT'S POND.

Two Coming Grange Celebrations.

Franklin Grange will have a Field Day at H. H. Cushman's, Aug. 31. All are cordially invited to be there. It can speak from experience that it is a good place to go.

Franklin Grange will observe Old Folks Day, Sept. 7. Will the brothers and sisters who are 50 years old or nearly that prepare themselves to help furnish an entertainment that will give credit to themselves?

Mrs. Aldane Whitman from Cambridge, Mass., is in town.

Hon. B. M. Fernald of West Poland was in town, the past week.

Charles F. Davis of Boston is a guest of his aunt, Mrs. J. L. Bowker.

Mrs. J. L. Bowker and daughter Pearl went to Portland, last Thursday.

Arthur F. Cushman went to Colebrook, N. H., last Friday, for a few weeks' visit.

Mabel Allen returned from Berlin, last Sunday, where she spent the past week.

John Brown has moved his family into Ed Andrews' rent and is working for Mr. Andrews in his mill.

Ed Storer is here getting the corn shop in good order for the fall canning of sweet corn and engaging his help.

Joe O. Chase and sister Louise of Kent's Hill were at their grandfather's, Alden Chase's, from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Edwin Cole and daughter Eva have been camping out in Oxford, the past week. Mr. Cole joined them for a few days.

Ola Dudley came home from the hospital a week ago. She is gaining very well but it will take a long time to fully recover.

Mrs. Zach Swan of Livermore visited her son, Charles Swan, the past week. Mr. Swan came, last Saturday to spend a week with friends here.

Mrs. Mary C. Wellman from Iowa, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emma E. Tobin at the hotel, left, last Tuesday, to go to Wilton to visit a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Cole from South Framingham, Mass., are visiting their brothers and sisters here. Mr. and Mrs. Cole lived here many years ago and we are glad to have them with us again.

Clinton Buck loses a Hand. Clinton Buck has lost his hand badly mangled in Mann's mill at Milton, Friday morning. Dr. Stuart found it necessary to amputate a part of it.

Social dance at the Grange hall, Aug. 20.

Etta and Mamie Bartlett of Portland were at J. M. Day's, last Sunday.

A number of people have arrived at the hotel, the past week, six at Collier's camp and three at A. C. Ricker's.

Rev. T. E. Potterton of Tunton, Mass., preached at the Universalist church, Aug. 18. Rev. Henry R. Rose of Newark, N. J., has been engaged to preach here, Sept. 1.

Chase District. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Perham and daughter Bertha of Somerville, Mass., are at G. Q. Perham's.

Mrs. Narcissa Potter went to Mechanic Falls, last Friday, to visit her sister, returning home, Monday night.

R. C. Davis' family joined G. L. Cushman's family, last Monday, at George Marshall's camp, to spend the week.

Cullen Abbott was taken very sick, last week and the doctors fear appendicitis, but he is more comfortable at last account.

Mrs. Frank P. Cole and her sister, Clara Bryant, were the guests of their sister, Mrs. Lucy A. Peabody of Lancaster, N. H., during the past week.

Lillie, the five year old daughter of Cullen Abbott of North Woodstock, got a sewing needle into her foot. It broke off with three fourths of an inch of the needle in her foot. The doctor had to cut it out.

Mrs. Lovina Russell, aged 93 years, 12 days, the mother of Mrs. Abby Russell, passed away, last Sunday night.

Her four daughters, Mrs. Abby Russell, Mrs. H. F. Houghton, Mrs. Miranda Griffin of Leeds Junction and Mrs. Lydia Massure of Portland, were with her at the last. There is a son in Minnesota.

LENA HILL is working at Reuben Lincolns.

Chas. Cotton is at work for Hill visited friends and relatives here, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blake and a number of others went to Portland, "Old Home Day."

G. G. Poore and family went to Cornish, Monday, where they will remain during the fair.

Mrs. Sarah M. Bean of Hiram and Mrs. Julia G. Davis of Portland spent Wednesday and Thursday with the family of C. W. Harmon.

Miss A. F. Stewart has purchased the D. S. Patton homestead and is renovating it throughout. Miss Stewart expects to take boarders.

Joseph Webster and Mrs. Sarah M. Greenlaw of Wilmington spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. A. Blake. Mrs. Greenlaw will remain here for a few days.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY

Alfred A. Everett visited in Oxford, Sunday.

W. A. Gould and family of Mechanic Falls have been at the lake.

Stated meeting of Oxford Lodge, F. & A. M., this Friday evening.

Laura Vigue of Skowhegan is a guest of Mrs. Charles F. Riddell at Grand View Cottage.

Mrs. Robert Page of Milton Mills, N. H., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leon M. Longley.

Mrs. Belle E. Penny and daughter Millicent of Union, N. H., are in Norway for a few weeks.

George R. Stephenson sold one of his Norway built canoes to Henry G. Martin of Jersey City, N. J.

Mrs. W. W. Whitmarsh has some lovely white tea roses blooming outdoors. It seems a pity we can't have roses a plenty from May till snow flies.

Alozo M. Varney of Boston spent Sunday with his friends in town. Mr. Varney was formerly foreman of the B. F. Spinnery & Co. stitching room.

Leon M. Longley and family have moved from the George Austin house on Main street to Dr. F. N. Barker's upstairs tenement on Danforth street.

Robert Frost, who works for C. B. Cummings & Sons, has taken rent on Water street in the upper story of J. J. Fuller's building at corner of Pleasant street.

This is the season for hydrangeas. They are in full bloom now in many gardens of the two villages. The people are learning to prize the hydrangea more and more each year.

We understand that Mrs. W. K. Bickford and daughters, May and Grace, and son Knox are to return from Rumford Falls to Norway soon. Ross L. Bickford will go to Brockton, Mass., to work in a grocery store.

There will be no preaching service in the Congregational church on the next two Sundays. The men's meeting at 6.15 p. m., Sundays, and the Christian Endeavor meetings, Friday evenings, will be held as usual. Sept. 3, Mr. Kidout will resume regular preaching.

Sunday morning, Rev. Prof. A. W. Anthony preached in the Congregational church from the text: "It is better to give than to receive." Prof. George W. Horne, whom we all know, gave two tenor solos, one being that wonderfully beautiful piece "Face to Face." There was also a soprano solo—Beyond the Gates of Paradise—by Mrs. Grace Crockett of Rochester, N. H. Mrs. Coffin delighted her listeners. She has evidently done a great deal of hard work musically and is now reaping a reward. She is soprano of the Baptist church at Rochester. In the evening, Prof. Anthony gave a lecture on Mt. Sinai and the Arabian desert.

George S. Ames of Sherborn, Mass., and Horace Pike of Norway are the survivors of a group of four who once devastated the Webster brook of a remarkable supply of trout, a year or two before the Civil War. As Mr. Pike tells it in one-half day they took with gaffles about 200 trout from one hole. As Mr. Ames tells it, the Pike memory is at fault, for Horace and his father had 200 fish which was only half the total of more than 400 nice large brook trout that were taken. It was on that same day that they found the great heaps of anglerworms in the brook. Mr. Pike says they were in a solid bunch that would nearly fill a bushel basket. Mr. Ames tells us that there was considerably more than a bushel of anglerworms in one bunch and there were seven or eight smaller bunches ranging in size from a peck to a half bushel. The fishermen of these times always look sad as they listen to either version of this trout and anglerworm story.

Letter to Abner Jackson.

Norway, Me.

Dear Sir: James Akeley's house in Cairo (Catskill Mountains), N. Y., a conspicuous one in the midst of the village, was painted 14 years ago with Devco; has not been painted since; and the paint is in good condition to-day. He is going to paint; but there's really no necessity of it.

Devco has been sold in Cairo 18 years. Our agent is Gaston Wyndkoop. House-owners there want Devco, and painters there paint Devco. It would be a hard job to persuade a Cairo man to paint lead and oil—of course a painter paints whatever his customer wants, even if it's buttermilk.

Marian Van Hoesen, a Cairo painter, has painted Devco for 15 years. There are two or three others: all for Devco, we are told—don't know their names.

It's the same wherever Devco gets into a town: it stays there and owns the whole business.

Yours truly,

F. P. STONE, F. W. DEVCO & Co.

Read the advertisement of the selectmen of Norway for proposals for road building, in another column of this paper. It is for the construction of the new road to be built near Albert Richardson's in Norway.

HARRISON.

Numerous Visitors. Herbert Brown and family of Massachusetts are visiting at the parental home in South Harrison.

Mrs. Emma of Lynn, Mass., a daughter of the late Stephen Tibbitts is visiting relatives here. Her daughter is with her.

Mrs. Etta Thompson of Malden, Mass., is now visiting relatives in Harrison and vicinity. She was a native of South Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Robid Davidson of Malden, Mass., have been visiting relatives in South Harrison, but have now returned to their home.

Harrison has at present quite a good number of summer boarders, but for some reason the number is hardly up to the average in past years.

Walter A. Ross, who has been at home for two or three weeks doing his haying, has returned to Rumford Center where he is at work in the saw mill of Scribner Brothers.

Frank H. Osgood of the United States Customs force, Portland, has one visit to his friends, Alphonse Moulton, and also took in the Bay of Naples Inn during his trip. This was his first visit in this vicinity, and he was much pleased with the country and its inhabitants.

Dr. C. B. Sylvester and family are at their cottage on the west shore of Bear pond.

Walter Twitchell was thrown from a moving machine and had one shoulder broken.

J. Howard Randall and wife are absent on a trip to Rumford Falls and vicinity, going by carriage.

Dr. Ira C. Sawyer of Springvale has been visiting relatives and friends in Harrison and Naples. Dr. Sawyer's wife was a South Harrison lady, Georgia A. Page.

Cyrus K. Foster is preparing to build a new barn in place of the one which was recently burned by lightning. Many of his friends have very generously offered to assist him, some giving timber, some money, and others working on the barn free of charge.

The rite of baptism by sprinkling was administered to five candidates, Sunday, Aug. 11, at the church at South Harrison.

Another larger class is to be baptized by immersion early in September. A very successful church social and entertainment was held there on the evening of the 14th inst., under the auspices of the newly organized Methodist society. The entertainment consisted of music, singing and recitations, and ice cream and cake was furnished by those interested. The house was well filled.

Although the once somewhat famous Summit Spring is not advertised at all, and the house has for many seasons been closed to the public, there is still quite an extensive demand for the water, which is being constantly shipped. Only a short time ago quite a large consignment was sent to parties in Philadelphia. It is a great pity that this property is not in the hands of some one who has the disposition to push it to the front, and the necessary capital to do it with. There is a fortune here for the right parties.

One day recently, Mrs. Samuel Wright and Mrs. James Thomas started for the blueberry plains with Mrs. Wright's son. Another larger class is to be baptized by immersion early in September. A very successful church social and entertainment was held there on the evening of the 14th inst., under the auspices of the newly organized Methodist society. The entertainment consisted of music, singing and recitations, and ice cream and cake was furnished by those interested. The house was well filled.

The laws of health require that the bowels move once each day and the penalties for violating this law is piles. Keep your bowels regular by taking a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when necessary and you will never have that severe punishment inflicted upon you. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Noyes Drug Store, Norway; F. A. Shurtleff & Co., South Paris.

CANTON POINT.

Lumbering Note.

The logs are so firmly packed in the sorting boom that ladies cross the river on them.

Elmer Dailey has purchased the pine and hemlock on Geo. Burgess' farm. Morris Dailey is assisting him in peeling the hemlock.

Mary Dailey is at work for Mrs. F. E. Rowe.

Charlie Rich of Boston has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rich.

A reunion of the Paine family was held at the home of A. B. Conant, Thursday, the 8th.

Mrs. Cordelia Robinson and little grandson of Auburn have been visiting Mrs. R. S. niece, Mrs. E. H. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson of Jay and Charlie and Grace Thompson of Boston were at I. A. Ellis', recently.

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CHATHAM, N. H.

Addie Larocque called on friends in town, recently.

Isabelle Johnson called on her brother, Charles Keef, in Stowe, Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Emery of Massachusetts is visiting her sister, Mrs. Perley E. Binford.

Dr. Horace Binford of Mexico made a flying visit to his brothers, Joseph and Charles Keef and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell called on her brother, Edson Guptill, last week. She is in very poor health.

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Ways of the Beaver.

How He Manages to Stay Under Water So Long in Winter.

The current number of Rod and Gun has in Canada has an article on the habits of the beaver, which the writer tells some interesting things about that most interesting of North American animals.

Of the cutting power of the beaver's teeth, the writer says:—

"The beaver is really a sort of portable pulley mill, grinding up most any kind of wood that comes in his way. I once measured a white birch tree, twenty-two inches through, cut down by a beaver. A single beaver generally, if not always, amputates the tree, and when it comes down the whole family fall to and have a regular frolic with the bark and branches. A big beaver will bring down a fair sized sapling, say three inches through, in about two minutes, and a large tree in about an hour."

"One of the queerest acts about the beaver is the rapidity with which his long chisel-shaped teeth will recover from an injury. I have known beavers break their teeth in biting a trap, and when I caught them again ten days afterward you couldn't see a sign of the break—the teeth had grown out to their former perfection in that short period."

"As compared with the otter or mink the beaver is a very slow swimmer. His front legs hang by his sides, and he uses only his webbed hind feet for purposes of swimming. It is easy to capture one in a canoe if you can find him in shoal water. He is a most determined fighter, but clumsy and easy to handle. If he could get hold of you with his teeth he would almost take a leg off—so you want to watch him sharp. The place to grab him is by the tail."

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The Secret of Style.

Once upon a Time, in the Twentieth Century, there was an old-fashioned girl, who admired style, but could not attain it for the reason that she was neat.

This girl attempted Society, but was handicapped because she did not look like other people. In those times Originality in Dress was suicidal. Being in Society she was ridiculed. Being in Society she was ridiculed. Being in Society she was ridiculed.

Old-fashioned she romanced on the Subject of Matrimony, and Wondered how Gallants could incline to the Sweet Young Things around her. They were high Heeled Shoes and fluffy Pompadour and were Fretting, generally dour, and were Fretting, generally dour, and were Fretting, generally dour.

They afforded Frigidities of Lace and Sugar Scoop Hats and Stick Pins of red and blue Enamel, and they Trailed their Skirts along the Pavement, so as to be continually enveloped in Clouds of Dust. The Old-fashioned Girl noticed that they seemed to Attract; Willie Boys were Stuck on Them like Flies on Molasses.

Finding herself at Length a full-blown Wallflower instead of a Bud, the Old-fashioned Girl Inquired Desperately of a Dressy Creature:

"How do you Give your Veil that Nameless Air?"

The Dressy Creature replied Carelessly, "I 'Bast Catch it Up.'"

The Old-fashioned Girl Tried to Catch hers Up, but it gave Evidence of Painful Effort. Again she Inquired:

"Why does your Hat appear so Irresistible?"

The Other answered: "Because I wear it on one Side, and the Trimming's Pinned On."

The Old-fashioned Girl exclaimed, shocked: "It is Utterly to Die of!"

The Dressy Creature retorted Recklessly: "What's the Difference, so it's Stylish?"

It Happened one Day that the Old-fashioned Girl was Playing with a Dog, so that her Hat got Crooked, and the Dressy Creature ran over and put a Ribbon fell off and she Pinned it out of Reach on her Left Shoulder. And to her great Confusion the Dressy Creature and a Willie Boy Entered. They were Dumb with Astonishment.

"What a Jewel!" said the Willie Boy, Sotto Voce, as he Gazed at the Old-fashioned Girl. "She's stunning. Didn't know she had such Form!"

As to the Old-fashioned Girl, she Rushed to her Room, Compared a Mirror, and suddenly the Vision of Style burst upon her. She was never Neat again, but she Married the Willie Boy to Whom some Kind Relative had Bequeathed Money, within Six Months, and became a Leader of Fashion.

Moral:—The Stylish Person was never Neat. [Philadelphia Record.]

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. (See Take LAXATIVE BROMO-QUININE TABLETS. All colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, E. W. Gove's signature is on each box. 25c. For sale by F. P. STONE.)

Chinch Bugs in Maine.

B. Walker McKen writes:—For quite a good many years there has been occasional depredations in the grass fields on intervals of the Saco valley in Fryeburg by a peculiar winged fly, which does most of his work in the grasses just at the base of the stalk. Prof. Harvey fully identified this insect in 1892 as the chinch bug. Since then, while its work has been noticed to some extent each year, it has done no serious amount of damage since that time.

I find many fields in Fryeburg are badly infested with these bugs, this year, so much so that quite large areas have been literally destroyed. No particular damage is now done till after the first of September. The bugs appear to attack the timothy first then red top, after that Hungarian, with grass, corn and grain.

I should judge that within a radius of five miles of North Fryeburg there are at least five acres that have been eaten over by this insect. This entire area will have to be plowed and reseeded before it will produce hay again.

The new and humorous book entitled, "What Happened to Wigglesworth," by W. O. Fuller, Jr., which is just out, is not only one of the handsomest, but one of the spiciest and most entertaining works of its kind we have ever read, each chapter being a complete story. It contains 360 pages; 42 full page illustrations by Allen, with an introduction by Robert J. Burdette, is beautifully bound and will make a fine addition to any library. The advance sales are very large. Secure it from your newsdealer who can order you a copy. Henry A. Dickerman & Son are the publishers.

SALESMEN WANTED. To look after our business in the State of Maine, in the towns of Fryeburg, Bangor, and Bangor, and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address The Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

Proposals for Road Building. From this date until the time for opening the bids, the undersigned will receive proposals for the construction of the new road to be built near the residence of Albert Richardson in this town; said road to be built and material furnished for the same in accordance with specifications to be found at the office of William F. Jones, Esq., town agent, Bangor, Maine. Such proposals may be received until the 31st day of August inst. The right to reject any or all bids being reserved by the undersigned.

Dated at Norway, Me., this 10th day of August, 1901.

D. S. SANBORN, Selectmen.

ALVIN BROWN, Norway.

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